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SUBJECT: LOADLINE CERTIFICATION FOR BAHAMIAN MAIL BOATS

REF: A) NASSAU 2548, B) NASSAU 1490,
C)CMDT COGARD,WASHINGTON DC 261847Z SEPT 75 (NOTAL)

1. CMDT COGARD WASHINGTON DC PROVIDED DEPARTMENT WITH FOLLOWING RESPONSE TO EMBASSY NASSAU'S INQUIRIES:

"1. REF INQUIRES WHETHER U.S. LAW PERMITS EXEMP-
TIONS AND WHETHER CLASSIFICATION CERTIFICATE IS A
REQUIREMENT FOR VESSELS WHICH DO NOT MEET THE LOADLINE
REQUIREMENTS TO ENTER U.S. PORTS FOR DRYDOCKING AND
REPAIR PURPOSES ONLY.

2. PERTINENT U.S. LAW IS 46 USC 86 ET SEQ (PL 93-115),
WHICH IMPLEMENTS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON LOAD-
LINES OF 1966 AND DOES PROVIDE FOR EXEMPTIONS FROM LOAD-
LINE REQUIREMENTS PROVIDED AN EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE IS
ISSUED. HOWEVER, NO CERTIFICATE CAN BE ISSUED ON
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BEHALF OF A NON-PARTY TO ILLC-1966.

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3. FULL REVIEW FOR CERTIFICATE BY A CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY IS NOT A REQUIREMENT OF LOADLINE STATUTES.

ASSIGNMENT OF LOADLINE INCLUDES REVIEW OF STRUCTURE, CONDITIONS OF ASSIGNMENT AND REVIEW OF STABILITY INFORMATION BY COAST GUARD OR A RECOGNIZED CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY.

4. BAHAMIAN GOVERNMENT IS NOT A SIGNATORY TO ILLC-1966, HOWEVER IF THEY CHOOSE TO ACCEDE, USG COULD HONOR BAHAMA LL CERTIFICATES, OR EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES, UNLESS OBVIOUS UNSEAWORTHY CONDITION EXITS."

2. EMBASSY NASSAU MAY DRAW ON ALL OF ABOVE TO REPLY TO REQUESTS FROM PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT SOURCES. KISSINGER

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